

PENNSYLVANIA - DISTRICT 9**Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997**

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	SMALLEST	LARGEST	MEDIAN OF COUNTIES
Farms			
Number	339	1,304	618
Acreage	52,630	237,642	94,285
Average size (acres)	128	213	182
Median size (acres)	90	155	120
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	221,585	521,516	320,752
Machinery/equip (dollars)	40,326	73,786	51,666
Cropland (acres)			
Total	34,690	190,914	68,315
Harvested	25,796	163,342	57,295
Irrigated	20	2,972	304
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	8,644	194,983	51,842
(dollars avg. per farm)	25,500	149,527	83,751
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	5,553	32,536	14,151
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	7,366	95,764	29,692
Beef cows	1,136	5,821	1,953
Milk cows	2,166	44,201	13,727
Hogs and pigs	558	104,320	15,025
Sheep and lambs	469	2,581	1,320
Layers 13 wks or/older	1,015	1,775,852	2,092
Broilers and chicken (sold)	200	10,655,497	3,349,391
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Corn, grain or seed	3,964	29,916	12,370
Corn, silage or green chop	2,121	43,793	8,784
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	0
Wheat	201	8,391	1,528
Barley	N	N	0
Oats	946	3,792	2,024
Rice	N	N	0

Sunflower seed	N	N	0
Cotton	N	N	0
Tobacco	N	N	0
Soybeans	N	N	0
Dry edible beans, excl limas	N	N	0
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes	3	144	15
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	0
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	0
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	0
Hay-alfalfa	19,050	67,279	26,108

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Vegetables			
Number of farms	N	N	0
Acreage	N	N	0
Orchards			
Number of farms	8	53	20
Acreage	12	4,294	295

Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture